

June 11, 1980

Mid-West Abrasives, Division
P.O. Box 158
510 South Washington Street
Owosso, Michigan 48867

Attn: Mr. G.K. Malkani, Executive Vice President

Dear Mr. Malkani:

This is in regard to the industrial wastes that were hauled from Mid-West Abrasives to the Don Barta Farm located at 5650 Smith Road, Henderson, and placed in a gravel pit.

During our meeting on April 24, 1980, it was concluded that your company would pursue a course of action to have this material removed and properly incinerated or landfilled.

On several occasions since that time, I have discussed this matter with Mr. Herald Schonberg. On two occasions I met with him and Industrial Waste Hauling Contractors at the Barta Farm to determine how this site might be cleaned up. Mr. Schonberg indicated that the final decision for the cleanup would have to come from your office.

In view of the seriousness of this matter and the time that has elapsed since our April 24th meeting, your company should have had sufficient time to determine a course of action for the removal of these materials from the site.

I would appreciate hearing from you at your earliest convenience.

Very truly yours,

WATER QUALITY DIVISION

Leroy Vahovick, Water Quality Specialist
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cc: Herald Schonberg, Plant Engineer ✓
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